

These are computer generated images of the projected design of the Fallen Firefighter Memorial

Message from Fire Marshal Bella:

It is with the deepest and utmost honor that I write this letter requesting your assistance in this endeavor to build The Louisiana Fallen Firefighter's Memorial. In my 60 years in the fire service, I have seen many of my friends and brothers give their lives protecting the citizens of this great state. With the tragedy of September 11, 2001, this nation and Louisiana has seen the sacrifice that the men and women of the fire service are willing to make every day. I truly believe that the greatest gift a man can give is to lay his life on the line so that someone else may live. Our partnership will finally bring the much deserved recognition to these brave and heroic firefighters. Please join me in making this memorial a reality.

Sincerely,



V.J. Bella
State Fire Marshal



LOUISIANA STATE FIRE
MARSHAL'S OFFICE



Fallen Firefighter's Memorial



In Remembrance of
Those who Perish
Protecting us from Fire

A place for Remembrance, Recognition and Reflection...

The Fallen Firefighter Memorial will be a monument to the spirit, commitment, and sacrifice of those firefighters who gave their lives in the line of duty. It will give the citizens of Louisiana a place to honor these firefighters and inspire young men and women to follow in their brave footsteps.

The memorial will consist of three main areas:

The Roll of Honor

- A large granite wall listing all known firefighters who have perished in the line of duty

Firefighter Statue

- A bronze statue of a firefighter on a knee as a symbol of remembrance

Fire Engine Bell

- A brass bell to be used in the dedication and memorial ceremonies

Additionally, there will be plaques within the memorial with words exemplifying the spirit of firefighting and the men and women who choose this honorable profession.

The Fallen Firefighter Memorial will be funded almost entirely by private and corporate contributions. Donated and pledged funds will be used to cover the expenses of the design, construction, sculpture, dedication ceremony and upkeep of the memorial.

Donating Levels

Bronze - \$100 (4"x 8" brick)

Bronze will be located in the three main areas in front of the bell, statue and roll of honor.

Silver - \$250 (4"x 8" brick)

Silver will be located in the long walkway that extends from the inner circle toward the parking lot.

Gold - \$500 (8"x 8" brick)

Gold will be located inside the inner circle as the walkway between the statue and the roll of honor.

Platinum - \$1000 and over (8"x 8" brick)

Platinum bricks will be located within the inner circle.



Bricks may be purchased not only for a Fallen Firefighter, but also in memory or in honor of a loved one, or for your company, firm, organization, or yourself.

Please complete the appropriate blocks with your desired inscription.

☐ Bronze Level, (4"x 8")

Inscription - 2 lines maximum
16 characters per line (including spaces)

☐ Silver Level, (4"x 8")

Inscription - 2 lines maximum
16 characters per line (including spaces)

☐ Gold Level, (8"x 8")

Inscription - 3 lines maximum
18 characters per line (including spaces)

☐ Platinum Level, (8"x 8")

Inscription - 3 lines maximum
18 characters per line (including spaces)

To purchase a brick or to make a contribution to the Fallen Firefighter's Memorial, make checks payable to:

The Walk of Honor Foundation
and mail to:

State Fire Marshal's Office
Attn: Walk of Honor
8181 Independence Boulevard
Baton Rouge
Louisiana 70806
or
stop by any
Whitney National Bank location

Toll Free: 800-256-5452

Fax: (225) 925-4593